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Doering School Board Candidate



ROBERTA G. DOERING

Roberta G. Doering of 915 River Rd., Agawam, is asking the support of the voters in her candidacy for the office of School Committee.

Mrs. Doering, wife of Dr. James A. Doering, a local pediatrician and is a graduate of the State University of the State of New York. She has taught Health and Physical Education at all grade levels and was the Director of Camp Minnetoska, Girl Scouts of America for many years.

Currently Mrs. Doering is a Senior Staff member of Pine Knoll Swim School.

She is serving on the Executive Committee of the Metropolitan Y.M.C.A., Board of Directors of Camp Norwich and as a Town Meeting Member in Agawam.

Mrs. Doering is aware of the problems facing the schools today and hopes to be able to bring her experience and knowledge to bear in helping to meet the challenge of modern day education.

Local Citizens Organizations Meeting Saturday At JHS

In June of this year 20 organizations met at the Valley Community Church to answer the call of Rev. Frank Dunn to discuss the DRUG problem which faces us today. A presentation by our Police Dept., was followed by much discussion regarding the environment surrounding the youth of Agawam. All agreed that something must be done and done now!

In order to organize a unified effort, a steering committee was established with Charles Brantley as chairman. The purpose was to recommend to the organizations and townspeople of Agawam a plan which will improve the community for our youth. The committee has completed its report and have recommended five prime areas of involvement. They are a Teen Drop-In Center,

Dangerous Drugs; Prevention and Education, Recreation, Phone Service for Young People in Distress and Job Opportunities for the Youth.

The purpose of the new organization will be "To provide a healthier and more secure environment for the youth of Agawam through the combined involvement of this town's organizations and citizens."

A purpose or goal such as this can not be obtained by one, two, or more groups working on their own. It will take a combined effort of all the elements of this community. It will take different organizations working together rather than separately to attack one of the prime areas of involvement.

Through a strong, working (Please Turn To Page 8)

Agawam UNICEF Trick Or Treaters To Collect Oct. 31

Agawam youngsters will again Trick or Treat for UNICEF this Halloween. They will be identified by the orange and black cartoon on which is clearly printed:

TRICK OR TREAT
UNICEF
and the UNICEF seal

These pennies and contributions aid children and mothers in 120 underdeveloped countries. One baby chick may be purchased for 25c, 50 glasses of milk for 10c, one child protected against small pox for 1c. These are but three examples, there are many

more, not to mention educational aid, medical clinics and medicine provided by our pennies.

Because there is no way of avoiding overlapping of effort, as more than one child or group of children calls at your home for candy, there may be more than one UNICEF Trick or Treater call on you. Please distribute your pennies as you do your "goodies."

If you are not reached and wish to contribute either call or take your donation to the Agawam collection station.

**Daylight Saving
Time Ends
Sunday
TURN CLOCKS
BACK ONE HOUR
SATURDAY NIGHT**

FALL CLEANUP STARTS MONDAY

The Department of Public Works will conduct a Fall Clean-up beginning Monday, Oct. 27, starting with Route 6. Pickups will be made by Town Forces on the regular rubbish routes as follows:

Oct. 27th—Rt. 6; Oct. 28th—Rt. 7; Oct. 29th—Rt. 8; Oct. 30th—Rt. 9; Oct. 31st—Rt. 10; Nov. 3rd—Rt. 1; Nov. 4th—Rt. 2; Nov. 5th—Rt. 3; Nov. 6th—Rt. 4 and Nov. 7th—Rt. 5.

All items NOT normally picked up on regular rubbish collections will be picked up if put on tree belts. Leaves will be picked up if they are put in plastic bags. Small branches should be tied in bundles. Residents are asked to separate their regular rubbish barrels from the large items which are to be picked up by Town Forces.

Meet School Committee Candidates At JHS Nov. 6

On Thursday evening at 7:30, Nov. 6, the voters of Agawam will have an opportunity to meet the four candidates who will run for the School Committee.

Each candidate will be given an opportunity to state his qualifications and reasons why he or

she desires to be a school committee member. Voters will be given a chance to question the candidates on any subject pertaining to school committee work.

The written questions will be processed by Mr. Robert Griffin, member of the Agawam PTA Council and Mr. John A. Morrissey, a member of the Agawam Teachers' Association. Both gentlemen will act as a panel of judges. Mr. David Skolnick will act as moderator.

The Democratic candidates are Mr. Edward Connor and Mr. Robert Fassnacht and the Republican candidates are Mrs. Roberta Doering and Mrs. Veneta Synder.

The Agawam Teachers' Association will supply free refreshments and the Agawam Council of P.T.A.'s will serve the refreshments.

Senior Center Bazaar Hobby Show This Sat.

The annual Fall Bazaar and Hobby Show of the Agawam Senior Center will be held Saturday afternoon and evening, 1 to 8, Oct. 25, at their quarters, 770 Main St., Agawam Center, next door to the Agawam Public Market.

Many useful and decorative articles have been made during the summer of ceramics and knit goods, and are now available to the general public who are searching for beautiful, useful and inexpensive gifts for their friends at Christmas. The professional quality of the women's work has amazed those who know and are a source of pardonable pride to the makers.

Instructors Emaline Comeau and Mary Brown have achieved marvellous results with their pupils, senior citizens, which only can be evaluated by attending the Bazaar.

Drama Major At Loyola U.



MICHAELENE A. DALTON

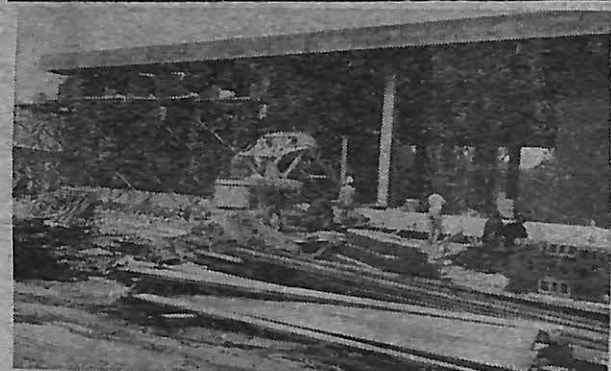
Miss Michaelene Ann Dalton, daughter of Jack and Marion Dalton of 954 Main St., Agawam, is a freshman at Loyola University, New Orleans, La., where she is a Drama Major.

Miss Dalton had the second lead in the production of "The Woman of Setsum" in which she played the part of Mrs. Shen.

The play ran for three evenings and was widely acclaimed by the drama critics of New Orleans.

Michaelene is a graduate of Agawam High School class of '69 and was active in all of the school performances.

Agawam's Dial Exchange Building



Photos and Story By:
JEAN W. TAYLOR

Construction of the New Dial Exchange Building on Rowley St., Agawam, is progressing on schedule. Francis Banas, Supt for

T A. Daley & Sons, Inc., General Contractor, said "Completion of the building should be about Nov. 1, 1969." These pictures show the stages the building has been in during the past week.

"The contemporary one-story brick building will be approximately 80 by 80 feet and will have a connecting 30 by 35 foot side-building which will house personnel," a news release from the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company in Boston stated.

The New England Telephone Co. plans to give 2300 telephone customers in Agawam area new numbers next April. This will be only part of the switchover to the new exchange which will include all of Agawam within the next (Please Turn To Page 3)

Halloween Parade And Party Sunday

Jaycees-Jaycee-ettes To
Sponsor

This Sunday, the 26th, the Jaycees and Jaycee-ettes of Agawam will sponsor the second annual Halloween Parade and Party from 2 to 4 p.m. for all preteen children of Agawam.

All children who are dressed for the occasion in full Halloween costume will be eligible to participate in the parade and following party.

The parade will begin at 2 p.m. at the Agawam Junior High School and end at the Zayre's parking lot where prizes, candy and balloons will highlight the afternoon.

CWC Harvest Swirl Dinner Dance Nov. 1

"Harvest Swirl Dinner Dance," the first social event of the season of The Catholic Women's Club of Agawam, will open with a social hour at 6:30 p.m., and dinner at 8, Saturday evening, Nov. 1, at Chez Josef, Agawam, with music by Gus Tomasetti Orchestra.

Mrs. Thomas J. Doyle, chairman of the event, will be assisted by Mrs. Rene Cadorette, Mrs. James Doyle, Mrs. Roger Heywood, Mrs. Edward Landry, Mrs. Philip McCarthy, Mrs. James O'Keefe, Sr., and Mrs. Albert Taupier.

CHURCH NEWS

AGAWAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

459 Mill Street, Agawam
Rev. Ronald G. Oakland,
Minister
Mrs. Richard Fearn, Organist
Mrs. Marshall Keyes,
Sanctuary Choir Director
Mrs. Kenneth Alexander,
Jr. Youth Choir Director
Sunday—9:30 a.m. Service of
worship. Nursery for infants.
Church School through Senior
High; 10:30 — Coffee hour in
Fellowship Hall; 6:30 p.m. —
Junior and Senior Youth Fel-
lowship.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Benjamin Lockhart, Pastor
Mrs. Ruth Daniels, Organist
Mrs. Nancy Lund, Choir Director
Mrs. Barbara Briggs,
Church Secretary
Thursday: 7:30 p.m. Senior
Choir rehearse at church.
Sunday: 9:30 a.m. MORNING
WORSHIP—Rev. Lockhart will
preach at worship service . . .
Senior choir and Melody choir
will sing; 10:30 a.m. CHURCH
SCHOOL for all ages; 6 p.m. The
Junior High and Senior BYF's
meet at church; 8 p.m. Senior
Board of Deacons meet at church.
Tuesday: 6:30 p.m. Melody
choir rehearse at church.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. Floyd C. Bryan, Minister
Mrs. A. G. Toussaint,
Minister of Music
Mrs. Marjorie Moore, Sec'y
Thursday—5:30 to 7 p.m. La-
dies' Aid Chicken Pie Supper.
Friday — 7 p.m. Boy Scout
meeting; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary
Choir rehearsal.
Saturday—9 a.m. Youth Choir
rehearsal.
Sunday — 9:30 a.m. Church
School, 5th Grade thru 12th
Grade; 10:30 a.m. Church at
Morning Worship and Church
School, Nursery thru 4th Grade;
7 p.m. Senior United Youth
Group.
Wednesday—6:30 p.m. Merri-
weds' Supper meeting.

Odd Jobs Wanted

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and Saturdays — 788-0367.

FEEDING HILLS CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

21 North Westfield St.
Rev. Robert F. Berkey,
Interim Minister
Randall L. Nofall, Organist
Cynthia A. Meyer, Choir Director
Sunday — 10 a.m. Worship
service conducted by Rev. Ber-
key; 6 p.m. Jr. and Sr. Youth
fellowship meeting.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

FEEDING HILLS
Rev. George Linse, C.S.S.
Rev. James Shea, C.S.S.
Saturday—4:30 and 7:30 p.m.
Confessions.
Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 11:30
a. m. Masses.
Tuesday—7:30 p.m. Miraculous
Medal Novena Devotions.

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

Rev. Samuel Fayad, C.S.S.,
Rev. Joseph Mantia, C.S.S.
Saturday—4 to 5 p.m. and 7:30
to 8:30 p.m. confessions.
MASS SCHEDULE
Sundays—7, 8:30, 10:30 a.m.
and 5:30 p.m.
Week days—7 a.m. and 5:30
p.m.
Holy days—7 and 9 a.m., 5:30
and 7:30 p.m.
Tuesdays—7:30 p.m. St. An-
thony Devotions.

ST. THERESA OF INFANT JESUS CHURCH

Rev. Paul Bernard
MASS SCHEDULE
Daily Mass—7 a.m.
Saturday—8 a.m. Mass — 4:30
and 7:30 Confessions.
Sunday — 7, 9 and 11 a.m.
Mass.

BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Upper Church and Second Sts.
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Sunday — 11 a.m. Morning
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ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST CHURCH

Rev. Walter J. Joyce
Rev. Albert Blanchard
Saturday — 9 a.m., CCD class-
es for Grades 1-6 at the Junior
High School.
Saturday — Confessions 4 to
5:45 and 7:30 to 9 p.m.
MASS SCHEDULE
Sunday—6:45, 8, 9:15, 10:30,
11:45 a.m.
Monday — 7 p.m., CCD classes
for Grades 7-12.
Tuesday—5:30 p.m., Mass fol-
lowed by Miraculous Medal No-
vena.

ST. DAVID'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rev. John S. Tyler, Vicar
Sunday — 8 a.m. Holy Com-
munion; 10 a.m. Festival Service;
7 p.m. Evening prayer.

VALLEY COMMUNITY CHURCH

152 South Westfield St.
Feeding Hills
"THE CHURCH ON THE HILL"
Rev. Frank E. Dunn, Minister
Mrs. Hazel Prior, Choir Director
Mrs. John MacPherson, Organist
Mrs. Richard Orr,
Church Secretary
Sunday, 10 a.m. Sermon: "Lit-
tle people become BIG people"
and Sunday School Classes in
Community Hall; 6 p.m. The
Hilltoppers . . . Youth Group.

WEST SPRINGFIELD CHURCH OF CHRIST

Storowton Village
Bldg. at E.S. Exposition
Dwight Mowrer, Minister
The West Springfield Church
of Christ is meeting at the Stor-
owton Village Church Building
on the Eastern States Exposition
grounds. Service held as follows:
Thursday — 7 p.m., Bible study
classes for all ages.
Sunday — 9 a.m., Bible classes
for all ages; 10 a.m., Worship
services; 6 p.m., Evening service.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of George A. Blood
of 103 Elm St., Agawam, was
held Friday afternoon at the
Dalton funeral home. Rev. Floyd
C. Bryan, pastor of the Agawam
Congregational Church offici-
ated. Burial was in Hillcrest Park
Cemetery, Springfield.
The bearers were Arthur
Phelps, Kenneth Warner, Rolf
Kitchen, Charles Smith, Irvin
Whitney, Alson Canary all mem-
bers of the Odd Fellows Lodge,
W. S.

Mr. Blood was born in Coven-
try, Vt., March 3, 1895. He was
a retired railroad postal clerk
where he worked for 42 years.
He was a member of the Aga-
wam Congregational Church,
Golden Age Club, Trestle Board

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ter S. Kerr Barracks WWI Vet-
erans, Agawam American Legion
Post 185, charter member of the
White River Junction Vt. Ameri-
can Legion Post. He served for
many years on the Agawam Vet-
erans Memorial Committee.

He is survived by his wife,
Adah (Smith) Blood, one daugh-
ter, Mrs. John Woodford of
Richmond, Va., a brother, Dr.
Robert O. Blood of Concord,
N. H., four grandchildren, sev-
eral nieces and nephews.

The funeral of Mrs. Anna
(Fischer) Thormeyer of 39 Lau-
zier Ter., Chicopee Falls, former-
ly of Agawam, was held Oct. 11
from the Curran-Jones Funeral
Home. The Rev. Walter E. Men-
zel officiated. Burial was in Aga-
wam Center Cemetery with Mr.
Menzel conducting the service of
committal.

The Funeral of Oldrich C. Chy-
ba of Eagle St. Southwick, for-
merly of Feeding Hills, was held
Oct. 18 from the Curran-Jones
Funeral Home. The Rev. Jos.
Aschenbach officiated. Burial was
in Springfield Street Cemetery,
with Mr. Aschenbach conducting
the service of committal. Bear-
ers were: Henry Gilbert, Stan-
ley Cizek, Robert Menard, Ray-
mond Chyba, William Fraga-
more and Richard Chyba.



COLLEGE NEWS

WESTERN NEW ENGLAND
Six students from the Agawam
area are presently enrolled as
freshmen at Western New Eng-
land College.

Enrolled in the School of Arts
& Sciences are Mauro J. Daniele,
500 Meadow St., exploratory pro-
gram; and Arthur G. Chevalier,
III, 259 River Rd., chemistry.

Enrolled in the School of Busi-
ness Administration are Barbara
M. Cordi, 259 South St.; and
Louis R. Bonavita, 659 Cooper
St., both majoring in business ad-
ministration.

Enrolled in the School of En-
gineering are Robert D. Camp-
bell, 52 Adams St., electrical en-
gineering; and Robert T. Donais,
32 Raymond Circle, mechanical
engineering.

Western New England College,
founded in 1919 as a branch of
Northeastern University, receiv-
ed its official charter and name in
1951. Six years later the College
opened to a day division which
this year has a record enrollment
of over 1250 students and a beau-
tifully designed and progressive
campus located on the rural out-
skirts of Springfield, a city with
a population of over 165,000. The
College, celebrating its 50th An-
niversary this academic year, of-
fers rapidly expanding programs
in arts and sciences, business ad-
ministration and engineering.

Round The Town



By Ann Nael
phone ST 8-8996

Miss Florence Statkun, L.P.N.,
of Suffield St., Agawam, has re-
turned from the National Fed-
eral of Licensed Practical Nurses
Convention, held recently at the
Conrad Hilton Hotel in Chicago.

It would be beneficial for all
L.P.N.'s to attend the monthly
meetings held at the Union Fed-
eral Savings Bank, 1341 Main
St., Springfield the fourth Fri-
day of every month at 7:30 p.m.
The next meeting is tomorrow,
Oct. 24 at 7:30 p.m. The meeting
are held to discuss current views
and problems, and to learn new
information in this field.

Paul V. Paleologopoulos, CLU,
has been named assistant direc-
tor of group pension underwrit-
ing in the Group Pension Under-
writing and Contract Department
of Massachusetts Mutual Life In-
surance Co.

Paleologopoulos, a native of
Northampton, Mass., received a
B.B.A. degree in business admin-
istration from the University of
Massachusetts in 1953 and his
M.B.A. from American Interna-
tional College in 1962.

A veteran of the U. S. Army,
Paleologopoulos is a past presi-
dent of the South Elementary
School P.T.A. in Agawam, an
associate member of the Agawam
Jaycees, a Little League Coach
and a Confraternity of Christian
Doctrine teacher and lector at
St. John the Evangelist Church.

Paleologopoulos, his wife and
eight children reside at 1411
Main St., Agawam.

A Dialogue Mass was held at
the Sacred Heart Church last
Wednesday evening for the
Rosary Altar Society members
and friends. Dinner followed at
the Shaker Farms Country Club
with Rev. Donald Desilets of the
Lady of Elms College faculty as
guest speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. Emer-
son, Jr., of 40 Valentine St., Aga-
wam, are entertaining Mrs. Em-
erson's father, H.W. Blade of
Harpden, Hertfordshire, Eng-
land. He will return to England
later this month.

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No. 1935



Due to the lack of space we were cut short last week but we are sure all our members and friends understand.

Monte Carlo night Chairmen, Buddy Baker and Art LaBelle wish to thank all the donors, workers and participants who helped make this affair a success. To Robin Smith, Bess LaBelle, Lill Smith and Anna Bissonnette for decorations for the hall and their time on Friday night. (This Friday was our best one yet and we had as our guests, Mrs. E. McLean and Mrs. E. Lefave). Although we ran into darkness for a little while, everyone took it in the spirit of fun.

Entertainment Chairman Wilfred H. Bissonnette has appointed Ted Waterman as chairman of the Spaghetti and Meatball Italian Night to be held Saturday, Oct. 25 at the Moose Lodge on Bridge St. For \$1.50 there will be spaghetti and meatballs, cheese, tossed salads, rolls, butter, coffee and dessert served from 7-8 p.m. and then dancing from 8-12 p.m. Bring your friends and show them what a grand cook Ted is (after the Pig Roast, we knew) with his wife Ann at his side, and a few other volunteers.

Gov. Dumond announced the PAINT PARTY will be held at the Moose Lodge this Sunday, between 9 and 9:30. Volunteers are needed and anyone who can swing a scraper or paint brush can help us before the cold weather sets in. The exterior will be given a nice new brown coat with a buff trim. Bring your own brushes and equipment. Many hands make light work. Remember — THIS IS YOUR LODGE and the face it presents to the public represents YOU. Refreshments will be served.

For the CHILDRENS HALLOWEEN PARTY, Bib Bissonnette appointed Prelate Mike Fydenkevez as chairman. Posters are around the town announcing the Italian Night which is open to members and their guest but the Halloween Party is for children of members only. Prizes will be awarded and refreshments served. Games and fun will begin at 6:30 p.m. on Thursday, Oct. 30, at the Lodge. The Chairman and his committee planned it so that children having other plans in their own neighborhood on the 31st, may include both. Don't disappoint the kids — bring them to THEIR party.

Our deepest sympathy to the family of Miss Margaret Sullivan of 671 Springfield St., Feed-

ing Hills, who passed away last week. A delegation headed by Gov. Dumond and Mrs. Dumond attended the wake at the Toomey Funeral Home. She was the sister of Roy Sullivan. We're sorry, Brother Moose.

Meetings — Tuesday nights at 8 p.m. See you there? M. F.

WE'RE bragging again... On Oct. 11, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith of 658 Main St., W.S., became grandparents for the 20th time. The new grandson will be named Garry Wayne Carbal. Frank is the Lodge Treasurer and Lill is joining the WOTM. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Carbal of Denver, Col., are the paternal grandparents. Good Health to Garry.

There will be a Meatball & Spaghetti Supper at the Lodge for members and guests on Oct. 25. The Italian Night has Ted Waterman as chairman with Danny White as co-chairman and Gov. and Ethel Dumond, the Smiths, Bissonnettes, LaBelles, Perrys La Micas and Gebos helping in one way or another. More on this later but save this date.

You can enjoy spaghetti, meatballs, salad, rolls, butter, coffee AND nice friends, music and dancing. Call Ted for reservations.

On Sunday, Oct. 26—everyone who can handle a scraper or paint brush is asked to come to the Lodge and be part of the "PAINTING PARTY." We're going to give the home a brown coat with a buff trim before the winter sets in. The earlier (9:30 A.M.) we get started the sooner we'll be through so be early with your brushes, scrapers and whatever else you'll be using. "Lunch will be provided for the workers," said Gov. Dumond.

Keep Oct. 30 open for the children's "HALLOWEEN PARTY" at the Lodge at 6 p.m.

This is for children of Lodge Members ONLY... Chairman Mike Fydenkevez said, "We're having the party on the 30th so that children may still take part in any activity they had planned for the 31st in their own neighborhood. Mike may be reached at 736-5887 for further information. DON'T disappoint the children, dress them up and bring them to THEIR party. More on this later.

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Dial Exchange...

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few years.

The numbers 736 will be the first three numbers given to customers in this area when the change is made.

Agawam residents will be getting more cable facilities when the new telephone switching equipment is in operation in the new building giving better service for local and long distance telephone calls.

While the customers in Agawam are presently served out of eight different exchanges in the Springfield area, the final transition of all telephones in Agawam will be consolidated into this exchange.

Among the first to be switched to the new exchange in April will be the town offices, police and fire departments, and a large number of Agawam residents.

After the initial switchover of the bulk of Agawam numbers in April, another portion will be transferred the following April, with the remainder to take place after that.

Two major cable projects are scheduled for completion by the end of December. The projects will include placing conduit — the underground tubing through which cable is passed — from the new office on Rowley Street to the intersection of Cooper and Mill Streets.

Local Telephone Manager in Springfield, Robert Wallace, said, "Agawam numbers will not be listed under a separate heading in the Springfield directory at first, since not all of Agawam will have the new exchange number." Wallace continued, "But, eventually the Agawam numbers will indeed be in a sep-

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arate section of the Springfield book." The delivery of new telephone directories will be made in April to coincide with the initial and major transition of Agawam customers to the new exchange.

To allow time for testing the equipment before actually making the cutover, everything will be built, placed and installed by March.

The best way to tell a woman's age is in a whisper.

Jr. Women Prepare Vietnam Yule Boxes

The Agawam Junior Women's Club is again preparing Christmas boxes to be sent to servicemen stationed in Vietnam that are from Agawam and Feeding Hills.

Anyone knowing of such a serviceman is asked to call Mrs. Raymond Ludwig at 788-9354 now or before Nov. 1st so the serviceman's name will be included on the mailing list.

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The Moon Versus The Poor

The never-ending fight of various groups for a larger share of the pie of federal spending reached the ultimate inanity with the charge that, "The U.S. spent \$24 billion to go to the moon, but Nixon wants to spend only \$4 billion to help the poor." The facts of the "moon versus the poor" controversy, as contained in a late issue of U.S. News & World Report, paint a different picture of tax dollar distribution. The U.S. is currently spending \$19 billion a year in direct aid to the poor from federal, state and local governments. This does not include spending for other services shared by people at all income levels. Nor does it include private charity. By contrast, the \$24 billion spent to reach the moon was expended over a period of 10 years—\$2.4 billion per year. If the new welfare program as proposed by the Nixon Administration becomes law, total governmental spending for the poor in the United States will increase to \$23 billion a year.

Aside from the financial arithmetic of moon flights versus government spending for the poor, U.S. space exploration represents the progress of a nation still growing in stature and vitality. All of us, including the poor, are benefactors of this growth. Instead of kicking, we should be proud. We have to progress to take care of the poor.

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ROUTE 5

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 27 —
ROUTE 6

DePalma, Doane Ave., Edgewater St. Ext., Garden, Gunn-Gear Ln., Memorial Dr., Mountaintopview, Phil, Poplar, Porter Dr., Shoemaker Ln., Silver, Silver Ln., Silver Lake Dr., Suffield and Vadhais St.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 28 —
ROUTE 7

Althea Cir., Anthony, Belle, Brien, Center, Clematis Ave., Cooper, Elsie, Fairview, Federal Ave., Federal, Federal St. Ext., Harvey Johnson Dr., Karen Dr., Ley, Poinsetta, Potomac Pl., Prince Ln., Reed, Samuel, Senator Ave., Stanley Pl., Valentine, Valentine St. Ext., Vernon, Virginia, Washington, Westford Cir. and Woodside Dr.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29 —
ROUTE 8

Allen, Adams, Birch Hill Rd., Carr Ave., Cosgrove Ave., Elm, Emerson Rd., Haskell, Henshaw Ave., Kanawka Ave., Lealand Ave., Main, Mardale Ave., Nile Ave., Oxord, Parker, Perry Ln., Pineview Cir., Raymond Cir., Riverside Ave., Riverview Ave., Ruskin Ave., Ridge Ave., South, So. Park Ter., Stewart Ln., Sunnyslope Ave., Thirlmere Ave., Veranda Ave., Woodcliff Ave. and Wright St.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 30 —
ROUTE 9

Albert, Alhambra Cir., Barney, Central, Corey, Editha Ave., Edward, Elbert Rd., Ellison Ave., Frank, Hunt, James Ave., John, Joseph, Kirkland, Liberty Ave., Maple Ave., Meadow Ave., Meadow, Monroe, Pomeroy, River Rd., School, Seymour Ave., Sterling Rd., Sunrise Ter., Willard Ave. and Wyman Ave.

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October 31

SENIOR HIGH

Monday: Tomato juice, hamburger on roll, mustard, relish, catsup, sliced onion, potato chips, buttered carrots, peanut butter sandwich, chocolate cake w/chocolate icing, milk.

Tuesday: Macaroni w/meat cheese sauce, cabbage carrot salad, bread/butter, applesauce, milk.

Wednesday: Toasted ham & cheese roll, mustard, catsup, mayonnaise, garden salad w/tomato & spinach greens, peanut butter salad, raspberry-prune pie square, milk.

Thursday: Grapefruit juice, bologna & cheese on soft roll, mustard, mayonnaise & catsup, buttered green beans, peanut butter sandwich, apricot upside down cake w/topping, milk.

Friday: Tuna salad sailboat, buttered corn, raw vegetable tray, peanut butter sandwich, peach shortcake w/topping, milk.

JUNIOR HIGH

Monday: Hamburg gravy on potato, buttered broccoli, bread/butter, chocolate cake, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, grinders, (slice meat, cheese, tomatoes, lettuce), pickles, potato chips, prune spice cake, milk.

Wednesday: Orange juice, hamburger on bun, green beans fruit cup w/peanut butter cookie, milk.

Thursday: Homemade beef stew w/vegetables, peanut butter sandwich, apple, cookie, milk.

Friday: Juice, tuna fish salad, potato chips, buttered carrots, bread/butter, apple sauce cake, milk.

DANAHY SCHOOL

Monday: Juice, hamburger on roll, corn, applesauce cake, milk.

Tuesday: Sliced bologna on roll, sliced cheese, cabbage carrot salad, French fries, brownies, milk.

Wednesday: Macaroni in tomato meat sauce, bread/butter, green beans, apricots, milk.

Thursday: Turkey in gravy, mashed potatoes, bread/butter, broccoli, fruited jello w/topping, milk.

Friday: Fish sticks, mashed potatoes, bread/butter, carrots, cheese wedge, applesauce, cookie, milk.

GRANGER

Monday: Spaghetti w/meat tomato sauce, green beans, bread/butter, peaches, milk.

Tuesday: Juice, hamburger on roll, relish, catsup, carrots, cheese cube, applesauce, milk.

Wednesday: Tomato soup, celery carrot sticks, 1/2 hardboiled egg, peanut butter marshmallow sandwich, cookies, apple, milk.

Thursday: Juice, frankfurt on roll, relish, mustard, potato chips, broccoli, fruit squares, milk.

Friday: Juice, fish burger (catsup) potato sticks, whole kernel corn, strawberry shortcake, milk.

PEIRCE

Monday: Meat balls in tomato sauce, steamed rice, buttered wax beans, cheese or peanut butter sandwich, apricots, milk.

Tuesday: Frankfurt on hot buttered roll, baked beans, cole slaw w/grated carrots, peanut butter sandwich, rosy applesauce, milk.

Wednesday: Spaghetti w/tomato meat sauce, buttered peas, cheese wedge, buttered Vienna bread, spicy prune cake w/butter icing, milk.

Thursday: Beef pot pie w/potato topping, buttered spinach, peanut butter honey sandwich, chocolate pudding w/topping, milk.

Friday: Orange juice, tuna sail boats, buttered green beans, carrot sticks, halloween cup cakes, milk.

PHELPS

Monday: Juice, frankfurt in

buttered roll, relish, mustard, catsup, whole kernel corn, apple crisp w/cheese wedge, milk.

Tuesday: Browned meat in gravy w/vegetables, mashed potatoes, 12-minute cabbage, rye bread/butter, butter cake w/raspberry cream topping, milk.

Wednesday: Shell macaroni w/meat sauce, cabbage and carrot salad, Italian bread/butter, mixed fruit, milk.

Thursday: Juice, hamburger on buttered roll, onions, relish, catsup, buttered carrots, oven fried potatoes, fruited jello w/topping, milk.

Friday: Tuna salad sandwich, potato chips, green beans, cheese sticks, orange wedge, cookie, milk.

ROBINSON

Monday: Hamburg gravy on mashed potatoes, buttered spinach, bread/butter, fruited jello w/topping, milk.

Tuesday: Fruit juice, meat ball grinder w/sauce, buttered carrots, cheese sticks, sliced peaches, milk.

Wednesday: Elbow macaroni w/meat sauce, buttered green beans, bread/butter, fruit cup, milk.

Thursday: Juice, hamburger on roll, catsup, buttered corn, raisin nut cake w/sugar N'Spice topping, milk.

Friday: Orange juice, tuna fish sandwich, peanut butter sandwich, potato chips, tossed salad w/tomatoes, dessert, milk.

SOUTH

Monday: Italian Spaghetti w/meat tomato sauce, fruit slaw salad, cheese sticks, buttered Vienna bread, apricots, milk.

Tuesday: Orange juice, turkey w/gravy on mashed potatoes, buttered peas/carrots, cranberry sauce, citrus fruit cup, milk.

Wednesday: Sloppy Joe on hard buttered roll, cheese sticks, buttered broccoli, deep dish apple squares, milk.

Thursday: Orange juice, creamed tomato soup, celery sticks, grilled cheese on rye, oatmeal peanut butter cookie, fresh pear, milk.

Friday: Baked fish, parsley buttered potatoes, A.B.C. salad, peanut butter sandwich, orange jello w/topping, milk.

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Now We Understand

Although I have not received the response by letters that I believed we might receive from the edition of this column there has been some oral comment which indicates an interest on the part of the readers to understand the truth about some of our situations here in Agawam.

It was never the intent of this column to glamorize events or incidents. We are not looking for eye catching headlines but rather to inform the citizens of solid and truthful action. This alone is the "bread and butter" of our success as a community. To guarantee the continuance of honest action you must insist that your representation meet the same specifications.

It is therefore your prerogative to make a careful choice of each candidate who seeks public office. It is so easy to succumb to glamour. I honestly believe that people dislike being on the side of a loser. Further, if each of us knew who the eventual winner was going to be, it is likely we would have joined that contingent long before the final bell had sounded. It is surprising how many people supported you after the victory was announced and how difficult it was to locate these same people during the period of the campaign. I suppose this is a human trait and will never be otherwise.

Why not be aware of this psychology and select cautiously? So let's look at some of the cold hard facts of election and eventual election. There must be some truth in the fact that intensive publicity is a "cover up" for false accomplishment. A product which is really worthwhile proves itself in its own production for efficiency. It doesn't need extensive advertising. This should be true of a politician. If he is a "doer" his actions will prove it. If he is false and works on "bluff" he needs publicity to cover the weakness. This publicity may even carry him through the election but will not support him during his term of

office. It is then that the true colors will fly. But for you who must endure him during his tenure it is too late. You must wait until the next election to make a replacement but during the meantime you have been without the services of the person who might have done the most for you. During the entire process you have permanently discouraged the better candidate from ever seeking office again because he feels it is a lost cause to want to serve rather than to publicize.

One of the best men whoever held an office in this town cannot win an election. He has held office by appointment only and the job he does is just tremendous. But don't put him on the ballot because he will not win. Conversely one of the most advertised politicians has done just about the poorest job ever done by an office holder.

Whether the two political parties in our town want to admit it or not I want to tell you that it is not easy to find and get the approval of the most qualified candidates. Those with the real willingness, know how, and ambition to serve you will not subject themselves nor their family to the rigors of a hard fought political campaign. In many cases our political groups scour the hinterland trying to lure candidates to fill their respective ticket.

Please don't believe that I am referring solely to the office of Selectman. This is but one phase of the problem. Realize how important the offices of Assessor, Planning Board, Tax Collector, Treasurer, Library Trustee, Parks and Playground and all the others are. Weigh very carefully the term of the incumbent, for his attitude, attendance, and accomplishment. He may have done better but will a replacement do as well? Is it a chance you care to take?

Take a real conscientious look at School Committee candidates. They budget more of your tax expenditure than any other body.

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I wish to extend my sincere gratitude to all those who worked and voted for me during the Democratic Caucus.

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YMCA Baby Sitting Course Starts Oct. 29

Mario Sakellis, director at the Agawam YMCA, announced today that the baby sitting course at the "Y" will start Wednesday evening, Oct. 29th at 7.

This is open to Junior High school girls and Mrs. Hallamen, the High School nurse will be the supervisor.

Students interested should call the "Y" and register before Wednesday. A small fee will be charged for the five-week course. For further information call the Agawam YMCA.

DeForges Observe Silver Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Philip J. DeForge, 137 Florida Drive, Agawam, were recently honored at a gathering of relatives and friends in their home on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary.

The surprise open house attended by over a hundred guests was given the couple by their three sons, Philip, Jr., a recent

In fact they use more than all the others put together. It is somewhere in the vicinity of 52-54% of your tax dollar. You cannot afford to play sentiment or popularity at this point. Your school population and your faculty contain a majority of the female gender and yet you have gone for years without female representation on this board. To me this is not logical. Isn't it fair to presume that more women have more time to devote to education than our men? Who is to say that their background and stamina is not worthy to stand the task? Why is it that women at large do not persist on more representation? You should demand it at the polls this Fall.

Don't overlook your Town Meeting members and their value in our government. It is they who usually, in the quiet background, put the stamp of approval on the whole plan at the town meeting.

What I have really tried to have you understand is "don't go by the label on the jar", "it is what is inside the container that counts," this goes for politicians as well.

Sincerely,
GEORGE L. REYNOLDS

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graduate of American International College, Michael, a junior at Amherst College, and Mark, a student at Agawam Junior High School.

Mr. and Mrs. DeForge, the former Margaret Sullivan of Springfield, were married by Rev. Paul E. O'Day in Holy Name Church, Springfield on Oct. 9, 1944. Mr. DeForge is an Installation Supervisor with New England Tel. & Tel. Co.

AIC vs. SC Grid Contest on WWLP

The City Championship football game between Springfield College and American International College Saturday, Oct. 25, will be telecast live on WWLP-Channel 22 starting at 1:30.

The game at Pratt Field in Springfield will be the highlight of the annual homecoming celebration for Springfield College.

Rollie Jacobs will have the play-by-play assignment for the telecast, and Bill Rasmussen will provide the commentary.

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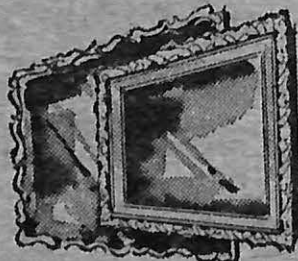
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SUNDAY 10 - 5:00



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SPORTSMEN'S CORNER



By BILL CHIBA

West Fairlee, Vermont — My wife, Edythe, and I arrived Friday night around 10 p.m. at Moe and Margaret Eatons farm located in some of the best deer country to be found in the state of Vermont. The Eatons board hunters both in the bow season and the regular rifle season which opens Nov. 8th this year. If you are interested, contact them at their farm in West Fairlee. There is 90 acres available to the hunter for roaming and taking buck deer. I was up to the farm for the buck season in 1963. The first day at closing time, Moe had nine of the nicest bucks hanging in his barn. All of them were bagged on his farm. Dave Blackburn, Agawam resident, had the honors of taking the largest buck ... it dressed out at 187 lbs.

The wife and I were not successful in knocking down a deer the first week of the season. However, we are full of confidence and are looking forward to the week-end for another crack at them. The temperature was far from ideal, with the mercury climbing to 76 for two or three days in a row. Unless you drive

Punt, Pass and Kick Winners



Pictured above are the winners in the Punt, Pass and Kick contest, left to right, front, Chris Meister, 11; Thomas DeCosmo, 8; Robert Brown, 9; rear, same order, Mark DeForge, 13; Greg Hubbard, 10; John Conte, 12.

These winners competed Saturday morning, the 18th, at Springfield College against the best in the western part of the state.

areas with other hunters and kick the deer out of their beds, you are wasting your time staking out apple trees in such hot weather. The deer will not move to feed until after dark and are usually in their beds by day break.

We did see deer and both of us had a chance, but both arrows fell short of the deer. It is very easy to under estimate distance in the woods.

The first five days of the season only 165 deer were taken by bow hunters. The deer herd is thin in many places contrary to the propaganda put out by publications in this area. I predict that it will be even thinner next year. I base this on the new law passed concerning antlerless deer by residents in Vermont. A land owner who is engaged in farming can take an antlerless deer during the regular deer season without a permit on his land. Every one in his family is entitled to the same privilege. A tenant farmer can also do the same and his immediate family is also covered under the law. A home made tag with name and where the deer was shot is all that is necessary to cover the law. In so many words, Vermont now has a DOE SEASON.

Trout fishing in all rivers and

Thomas DeCosmo with a score of 185 won the eight year old division.

On Sunday, Nov. 2nd before the Boston Patriots game Tom will compete for the New England Championship.

This competition was co-sponsored by Sarat Ford and the Park and Recreation Dept. of Agawam.

GOOD LUCK, TOM!

streams and in all reclaimed trout ponds closed Sunday, Oct. 19. All fishing in Quabbin also closed the 19th.

Trout fishing in all ponds and lakes other than reclaimed ponds will remain legal sport from Monday, Oct. 20, through Feb. 28, 1970, with a daily bag limit of two trout. Fishing for black bass, pickerel, northern pike, walleye pike perch, shad and all other fish (besides trout and salmon) will continue legally from Monday, Oct. 20, through Feb. 28, 1970.

ANTLERLESS DEER PERMITS
The Div. of Fisheries and Game is still accepting applications for antlerless deer permits and will do so until Nov. 1st. Some 20,000 applications have already been received.

A public drawing will be held to determine the lucky winners of 4,000 permits to hunt antlerless deer on Friday, Nov. 7, at 10 a.m. at the Government Center, in the offices of the Bureau of Taxation and Corporations.

A woman rarely realizes her age until the birthday cake begins to look like a forest fire.

"What are thongs?"

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AGAWAM FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of and in execution of the Power of Sale contained in two mortgages, one given by Gerald N. Sciarra and Selma W. Sciarra to Robert W. Bozenhard, dated June 23, 1964 recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book 3040, Page 119 and the other given by Melrose Construction Co., Inc. to said Robert W. Bozenhard, dated August 12, 1964, and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book 3062, Page 471, both of said mortgages now held by William C. Young by assignment, for breach of conditions of said mortgages, and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction on the mortgage premises at the times hereinafter stated, all and singular the premises described in said mortgages, to wit:

"All of the land in Hampden County, Massachusetts, now standing in the name of Gerald N. Sciarra by deeds duly recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds."

"All land in Hampden County, Massachusetts, now standing in the name of Melrose Construction Co., Inc. by deeds duly recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds."

All Land in Hampden County owned by Melrose Construction Co., Inc., now standing in the name of Richard Ziff and/or Barbara B. Ziff by deeds duly recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds."

PARCEL #1 will be sold on Lot #1 at 9:00 A.M. on November 5, 1969.

PARCEL #2 will be sold on Lot #176 at 10:00 A.M. on November 5, 1969.

PARCEL #3 will be sold on Lot #177 at 10:00 A.M. on November 5, 1969.

PARCEL #4 will be sold on Lot #32 at 11:00 A.M. on November 5, 1969.

PARCEL #5 will be sold on Lot #44 at 11:00 A.M. on November 5, 1969.

Including, but not by way of limitation, the following parcels of land:

PARCEL #1

Certain real estate situated in Agawam, Hampden County, Massachusetts, being known and designated as Lot #1 (one) and Lot #2 (two) as shown on a plan of lots recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds, Book of Plans 57, Page 21, being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

NORTHWESTERLY by land now or formerly of Ettore Marini et ux, one hundred three (103) feet; NORTHEASTERLY by land now or formerly of one Reed, three hundred seventy-five and 65/100 (375.65) feet; SOUTHEASTERLY by Cooper Street, one hundred forty and 51/100 (140.51) feet; SOUTHWESTERLY by Lot #2 (two) on said plan, three hundred eighteen and 60/100 (318.60) feet; and NORTHWESTERLY by a right of way as shown on said plan, one hundred two and 29/100 (102.29) feet. Being shown as Lot #1 (one) on said plan.

SOUTHEASTERLY by Cooper Street, two hundred fifteen and 60/100 (215.60) feet; SOUTHWESTERLY by Lot #3 (three) on said plan, two hundred sixty-seven and 99/100 (267.09) feet; NORTHWESTERLY by a right of way on said plan, ninety-one and 94/100 (91.94) feet; and NORTHEASTERLY by Lot #1 (one) on said plan, three hundred eighteen and 60/100 (318.60) feet. Being shown as Lot #2 (two) on said plan.

Together with the right to use in common with others lawfully entitled thereto the right of way running along the Northwesterly boundary of said Lots #1 & #2 on said plan extended to Ley Street as shown on said plan.

PARCEL #2

Certain real estate situated in Springfield, Hampden County, Massachusetts, being known and designated as Lot #176 (one hundred seventy-six) as shown on a Plan of Eastside Manor, dated December, 1912 and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book of Plans A, Page 34; said lot being more particularly bounded and described as follows:

NORTHERLY by Otis Court, thirty-nine and 07/100 (39.07) feet; EASTERLY by Lot #175 as shown on said plan, one hundred twenty-five (125) feet; SOUTHERLY by Lot #204 as shown on said plan, forty and 59/100 (40.59) feet; and WESTERLY by land now of Gerald N. Sciarra, formerly of H. J. Sinner, one hundred twenty-five and 02/100 (125.02) feet.

PARCEL #3

Certain real estate situated in Springfield, Hampden County, Massachusetts, being known and designated as Lots #177 (one hundred seventy-seven) and #178 (one hundred seventy-eight) as shown on a Plan of lots of Eastside Manor, dated December 1912, and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book of Plans A, Page 34, said lots being more particularly bounded and described in one parcel as follows:

SOUTHERLY by Otis Court, eighty-three and 62/100 (83.62) feet; WESTERLY by land now or formerly of H. J. Sinner, one hundred and 01/100 (100.01) feet; NORTHERLY by Lots #184 and #183 as shown on said plan, eighty-two and 48/100 (82.48) feet;

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EASTERLY by Lots #180 and #179 as shown on said plan, one hundred (100) feet.

PARCEL #4
Situated in Springfield, Hampden County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows: A certain parcel of land situated on the Northerly side of Division Street, bounded WESTERLY by land now or formerly of Frank O. Marden; NORTHERLY by land now or formerly of Albany J. and Rose M. Gaudet; EASTERLY by land now or formerly of Louis Cicchetti and SOUTHERLY by said street, and numbered Lot #42 on record plan and containing about 5604 square feet.

PARCEL #5
Situated in Springfield, Hampden County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:

A certain parcel of land situated on the Northerly side of Division Street, bounded WESTERLY by land now or formerly of the heirs of Sadie Fisher; NORTHERLY by land now or formerly of John J. and Laura Wellspeak; EASTERLY by other land now or formerly of said Frank O. Marden; and SOUTHERLY by said Street and numbered Lot #44 on record plan. Containing about 5697 square feet. See Plan of Lots at Cora Villa, Section "B", Springfield, Mass., owned by E. H. Robbins, Cobb & Beesley, Civil Engineers, as recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book of Plans 3, Page 75, for plan reference to parcels four and five.

The premises will be sold subject to unpaid municipal taxes assessments or liens, and any outstanding tax titles.

Three Hundred Dollars will be required to be paid in cash by the purchaser at the time and place of sale of each parcel, as earnest money, balance in cash on delivery of the deed within ten days from date of sale. Other terms to be announced at the sale.

by: WILLIAM C. YOUNG

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MORTGAGEE'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

By virtue of and in execution of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage given by WILLIAM J. MROSZ, JR. and BARBARA M. MROSZ, husband and wife, both of Agawam, Hampden County, Massachusetts, to NORTHAMPTON INSTITUTION FOR SAVINGS, dated August 14, 1967 and recorded in Hampden County Registry of Deeds in Book 3279, Page 283, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at ten o'clock A.M., Thursday, November 6, 1969, on the premises hereinafter described, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage, said premises being therein described substantially as follows, to wit:

"... certain real estate situated in AGAWAM, Hampden County, Massachusetts, bounded and described as follows:
Beginning at an iron pin in the southerly line of Meadow Street, distant two hundred thirty-five (235) feet easterly (measuring in said southerly line of Meadow Street) from a stone bound at the intersection of said southerly line of Meadow Street with the easterly line of Main Street and proceeding thence

SOUTHERLY, along land conveyed to one Benotti, et ux, two hundred four and 47/100 (204.47) feet to an iron pin; thence

EASTERLY, making an interior angle with the last described line of 85° 51' 40", eighty and 21/100 (80.21) feet to an iron pin; thence NORTHERLY, one hundred ninety eight and 69/100 (198.69) feet easterly from the point of beginning; thence

WESTERLY, along said southerly line of Meadow Street, eighty (80) feet to the iron pin at the point of beginning.
BEING the premises known as #22 Meadow Street.
BEING the same premises conveyed to us by deed of Alice D. Pandolfi, to be recorded herewith.
The above premises will be sold subject to all outstanding tax titles, municipal or other public taxes, assessments or liens, if any.
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COACH'S CORNER . . . by Cliff Kibbe

The reflections of the coaching staff following the loss to Tech were as follows — continued poor coverage on punts and kick-offs, poor blocking on kick-off returns, and costly defensive mistakes.

Our offensive output, while not dynamic, was certainly adequate. Twelve first downs and nine for 18 passing should net you more than six points.

We seem unable to muster a sustained drive inside the opponents 20-yard line. We are also guilty of defensive lapses. We limited Tech to short gains, caused fumbles, yet, we allowed the long gainer three times in the ball game and that was the difference. Statistically, we were quite even with Tech but our inability to break the long one still haunts us. We do not have the quick back necessary for the long gainer, and, this we must live with.

We do have a very adequate offensive line and backs capable of first downs this we must try to improve upon. There were many good efforts on Saturday.

Highlights were Mike O'Brien's consistent hard running and Don Young's defensive play. They are our selection of linemen and back of the week.

Don Progulski did a fine job of

punting but the coverage was not good. We had people there but tackles were missed. Defensively, we find that perhaps we have found a newcomer — Lou Conti, looked good. We need depth in the defensive secondary so this was a pleasant surprise. Offensively, both Don Progulski and Gary



MIKE O'BRIEN — FULLBACK

Safford threw the ball well but we dropped some and had just enough over thrown to hurt us.

The blocking of Mike O'Brien was excellent. I cannot say enough about that. Every back likes to carry the football but not all will throw the hard block.

We do have injuries but I will not name them as this paper

could be picked up by Westfield and we do not need to let them know where we're hurting.

I know the fans are disappointed with the end product as are the coaching staff and, most important, the team — but, we feel the boys WILL come back and win some ball games. For those who don't understand what is happening take a look at the size of some of our opponents especially backs and defensive secondary and check their weight with our boys.

You townspeople have a lot to be proud of and I mean that sincerely.

Hills HCIL Group To Meet Monday

The Feeding Hills group of the Hampden County Improvement League will meet on Monday, the 27th at the home of Mrs. Mary Spinelli, 16 Park St., Feeding Hills.

The new slate of officers for the following year are Chairman, Mrs. Aileen Abbey; Vice-Chairman, Mrs. Mary Spinelli; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Kay Nieroda; Executive Committee Member, Mrs. Felix Thompson; Associate Member, Mrs. Zophia Demko; Reading Chairman, Mrs. Jane Gai; Telephone Chairman, Mrs. Mary Costa; Friendship Chairman, Mrs. Zeta Manfredo.

The program for the evening is instruction of Swedish broderie by Mrs. Betty Fern. Please bring embroidery thread.

Christmas decorations for the Open House are needed. Any new ideas are most welcome. Our table must be planned.

Anyone having old sheets, please bring them as we will be making bandages for the leper missions.

My Beat — A.H.S.

By Joseph Della-Giustina, Jr.

Colors of red, white, and blue proudly march with AHS's colors of orange and brown in parades and football half-times. Our school has added a Junior Color Guard to the traditional Senior Color Guard.

Girls in the Junior Color Guard who carry 16 new brown and orange flags include the following: Susan Brown, Susan Affleck, Kirsten Holve, Valerie Bryan, Sharon Suffriti, Donna Quinn, Marie Beshaw, Phyllis Swift, and Lonna Morassi.

Also, more color guard members are Jeannie Wiley, Patty McCormack, Nancy Carpenter, Mary Ann Klimaj, Cindy Fern, Robin Rennell, Donna Labun, Cheryl Hale, Laurie Patton, and Nancy Andrews.

Senior Color Guard members include Kathy Foley, Madeline LaValley, Penny Balsewicz, Mary Riley, Holly Cloran, Shirley Porter, Linda Castelanos, Corin Ekstedt and Dorothy Green.

The new flags were made by Mrs. Darcy Davis, wife of the band director, and the poles were fashioned by Mr. Charles Heyl.

Congratulations to four Agawam High School seniors who have received letters of commendation honoring them for

their high performance on the 1969 National Merit Scholarship Qualifying Test.

The four students were as follows: Steven Cirillo, James Foster, John Toelken, and Lawrence Webster.

The annual Sadie Hawkins Dance will be held tonight from 8-11 at Agawam High featuring FIFTH GENERATION. This dance, which the girls ask the boys to go, originates from L'il Abner. To all who attend — have fun!

Anyone wishing to have any information about their clubs, organizations, or class activities entered in my column, please contact me.

Good luck, juniors, who are taking the PSAT Test (Preliminary Scholastic Aptitude Test). This test will be given this Saturday, Oct. 25, in the Agawam High Cafeteria at 8 a.m. These tests will give an idea of the student's future performance on the upcoming College Boards which will be held on Nov. 1 at the Agawam High School.

Football game against Westfield at Westfield on Saturday the 25th. The Agawam Soccer Team plays South Hadley at South Hadley also on Saturday.

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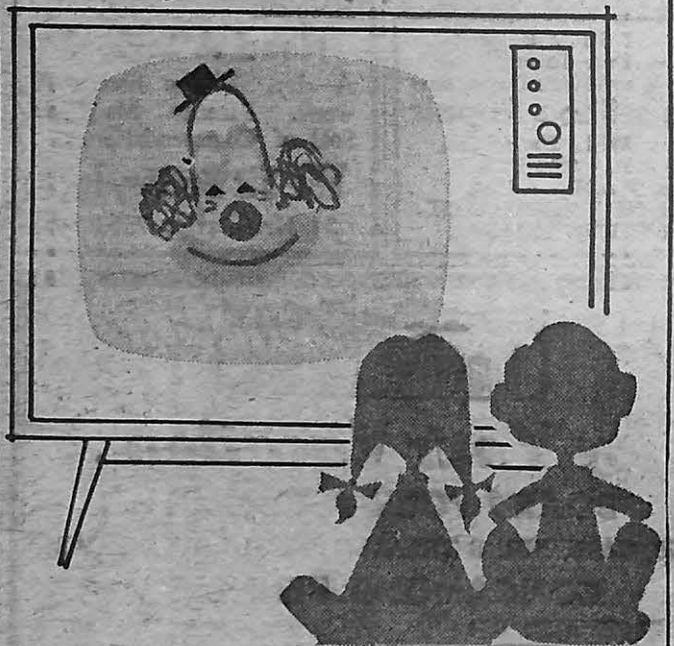
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V.F.W. Post 1632 Auxiliary Bulletin

By ANNA D. BISSENETTE

V.A. HOSPITAL NEWS

On Tuesday, Oct. 7, DelGrazio and Anna D. Bissonnette attended the VAVS meeting in the Rec. Hall. Meeting opened at 8 by Mr. Tully, Director of Voluntary Services and minutes taken by Miss Sullivan. Then Mr. Tully asked us to put on our coats and follow him out back of the buildings, to a fire demonstration which provided us with a better idea of how the hospital's firefighting equipment operates.

As it was "FIRE PREVENTION" Week, Mr. Tully invited us to what he called a "doing party." After the Fire Chief gave us a talk on fire prevention and a demonstration, we all took our turn at putting out the fires. Each used the water or chemicals best suited to the type of fire either (whether) electrical, oil, grass or wood. Returning to the Rec. Hall, we once again settled down to volunteer business.

Dr. Hall spoke on "not forgetting the soldier" and the 25th anniversary of voluntary services. We were divided into 5 activated groups. Later the 5 groups will get their ideas together for a final plan. DelGrazio and Anna Bissonnette are with Group #5 with Lionel Paul of Easthampton as the Leader and Mrs. Bissonnette as Secretary.

Among the volunteers and guests were: Elsa H. Emmons, Dept. President; Ethel A. Clement, Dept. Sr. Vice President and Hospital Chairman; Alice Hillard, V.F.W. Auxiliary Representative; Florence Diamond, Patriotic Instructor of W.C.C.; Lucy Hallagan; Grace Kane, Sr. Vice President of Western County Council; Lucienne Monette,

President of Western County Council; Colonel Hurley, Dr. Keating, Chaplain Hanley, Dr. Ramsey, and Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Smith who represent the Military Order of the Cooties and its Auxiliary. Meetings for the groups are Feb., April and Oct. of 1970 and Jan. and March of 1971 for the progress reports.

All regularly scheduled volunteers were given stickers for their cars for parking on the hospital grounds. Refreshments were served by the Amvets. Refreshments for the next meeting, Nov. 18, will be served by Anna D. Bissonnette and DelGrazio.

PRESIDENT'S COMMENTS

As chairman of the CANDY SALE, I'm asking everyone who has the time to participate. Money from this sale will help us carry on our many worthwhile projects. Call either the Co-chairman Anna D. Bissonnette or President Katherine Dickinson, chairman, at ST 5-5928 and we will gladly deliver to your home. There are a number of varieties and priced at only \$1.00 or \$1.25.

Nov. 16, at 2:30 p.m. at the Forest Park V.F.W. #7352. Delegates and alternates please take notice and attend these meetings. Margaret Murphy, secretary of W.C.C. Auxiliary, also announced a benefit for the relief fund — anyone interested in the particulars may contact her at these meetings. Also there will be a PENNY SALE following each of the meetings, so please bring your article for the sale. Thank you.

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Mrs. Gladys Catchepaugh of 44 Elm St., Agawam, was presented a citation because of her work as Dept. Vice Chairman of Radio for 14 years. A special broadcast was "We who Serve."

William Chiba, Agawam expert bowman, won the "2 pin" award.

Mrs. Wilfred H. Bissonnette of Mulberry St., was installed as the new Wilson-Thompson Unit #185 President at the Junior High School.

Hollis Kane of Feeding Hills bagged a 100-lb. doe with bow and arrow at 100 yards.

Marilyn Pond, won an all expense paid trip to Chicago for achievements in the field of food preparation.

The American Legion Post Home was flooded with 6 inches of water due to the heavy rains that put Manager Bib Bissonnette and Bernie "Barnyard" Belcher to hard work.

Local Citizens ...

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Executive Committee, quarterly board meetings and a monthly Newsletter the communications barrier between this town's organizations will be overcome. With unification outstanding accomplishments in the area of youth will be seen.

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WELCOME WAGON



The organizational meeting will be held Saturday evening the 25th, at the Agawam Junior High School, at 7. All town churches, committees, organizations, clubs and citizens who have an interest in this town's youth are asked to attend and make their commitment to the youth of Agawam.

Probation Officer To Address Senior Women's Club Mon.

"Youth and Conflict" will be the topic discussed by Mr. Francis Keough at the Oct. 27 meeting of the Agawam Women's Club at the Captain Charles Leonard House at 8 p.m. Mr. Keough is Chief Probation Officer at Springfield District Court. Mrs. Charles Rankin will give the invocation. Donna Toon will present piano selections by Chopin and Mozart. Special guest will be Mrs. Gordon P. Wallace, 14th District Director, Mass. State Federation of Women's Clubs.

Hostess for the evening is Mrs. Lewis Moors.

Jr. Women Present Spruce Tree to AHS

The Agawam Junior Women's Club recently presented the Agawam High School with a Colorado blue spruce tree as part of a Federation Conservation project.

Mrs. Kenneth A. Kubek, conservation chairman, was accompanied by Mrs. Arthur R. Jarvis, president of the Agawam Juniors, at the presentation of the tree to Mr. Raymond Harris, principal.

Joseph Pisano and Joseph Napolitan, school committee members, also were present to accept the tree and to thank the Juniors for contributing to the landscaping of the high school grounds.

A diet to reduce the risk of heart disease should include more meals of chicken, turkey, veal and fish, which are low in saturated fats, and no more than five meals a week of beef, lamb, pork or ham, says the Western Chapter, Massachusetts Heart Association.

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